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1. The Naval Base of Varna is under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Kutevski and is divided into the following two sections:
  - a. A minesweeper flotilla commanded by a Captain Jesev.
  - b. A defensive (sic) flotilla commanded by a Colonel Papazov.
2. The Naval Base of Burgas is under the command of a certain Zilatarov.
3. Early in 1951 the Bulgarian Navy received 12 torpedo boats from the Soviet Union. These boats were built at Ochakov. Each boat has three 1250 horsepower motors and carries a crew of 11 men. Their principle armament consists of two torpedo launchers.
4. There is also a flotilla of 18 wooden vessels of 35 tons, each armed with one 3.7 cm. cannon, two heavy machine guns and eight mine launchers. The speed of these vessels is about 30 knots.
5. The minesweeper flotilla consists of 17 vessels of about 20 tons each with a crew of 8 to 10 men.
6. The Bulgarian Navy also has a destroyer of 850 tons, the GEORGI DIMITROV, and two torpedo boats (sic) of 250 tons each. three submarines have been delivered to Bulgaria by the Soviet Union. 50X1-HUM
7. The Bulgarian and Rumanian Navies are under the supreme command of Soviet Naval Captain Romanov.

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